

House Resolution No. 782

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize Martin Orf, who will be inducted into the St. Charles Amateur Sports Hall of Fame during a special ceremony to be held March 10, 2007, at the American Legion Post 312 in St. Charles; and

Whereas, after playing baseball in the East Missouri Hard Road League for nineteen years, Martin Orf began pitching horseshoes in the O'Fallon League in 1970; and

Whereas, from 1980 to 1993, Martin Orf sponsored a horseshoe team in the O'Fallon League, which placed first in the League almost every year; and

Whereas, the president of the O'Fallon League from 1980 to 1993, Martin Orf joined the New Melle Horseshoe Club in 1994, pitching in the Monday Night Mixed League and the Wednesday Night Mens League; and

Whereas, in 2000, Martin Orf was elected President of the New Melle Horseshoe Club, which changed its name to the Quail Ridge Horseshoe Club in 2005; and

Whereas, a member of the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association and the Missouri Horseshoe Pitchers Association for sixteen years, Martin Orf has participated in the World, State, and many local tournaments, winning more than 100 trophies and plaques:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Martin Orf at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Martin Orf.

Offered by _____
Representative Bob Onder
District No. 13

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 782, adopted February 27, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker